



# Spiritus Gladius

The Weekly News Letter of the Collegiate Church of  
Saint Paul the Apostle, Savannah

## The Weekday Kalendar

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Feria (Memorial Day) (Office Closed)</b> MP 9:00 am HE 12:15 pm EP 5:30 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Feria</b>  MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm HE/HS 6:00 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>The Visitation of the BVM</b> MP 6:45 am HE 7:00pm <b>Confessions</b> 5:00 pm EP 5:30 pm <b>Wonderful Wednesday 6:00pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Justin, Martyr at Rome</b> MP 9:00 am HE/HS 10:00 am EP 5:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	<b>The Martyrs of Lyons</b> MP 6:45 am HE 7:00 am EP 5:30 pm

MP - Morning Prayer      HS - Healing Service  
HE - Holy Eucharist      EP - Evening Prayer

## The Seventh Sunday of Easter The Sunday after the Ascension May 28, 2017

- 8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
9:15 a.m. Christian Education  
9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer  
10:00 a.m. Solemn High Mass  
11:45 a.m. Church School (September–May)  
12:15 p.m. Misa en Español  
5:30 p.m. Evensong (weekly)  
& Benediction (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday)  
6:30 p.m. Evening Mass

There is a 3 pm Mass at St. Bartholomew's,  
Chevis Road at Wild Heron Road on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the Month



## The Propers

The Lesson—Acts 1: 6-14

Psalm 68:1-10, 33-36

The Epistle—1 Peter 4:12-14;5:6-11

The Gospel John 17:1-11

Hymns 494,483,460,307,315,450

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday  
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## Reflections...

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

During my tenure as your Parish Priest we have had two deaths in the parish which make clear to me how important the Prayer Book injunction to advise you from time to time, the following, "while... in good health, to make Wills arranging for the disposal of their temporal goods, and, when of ability, to leave Bequests for religious and charitable uses." . In both cases the deceased were faithful and dear members of the parish. One left a will so old and out of date that the Attorney who had drawn it up and was one of the holders of record had died years ago. In addition the Bank which had agreed to serve as Executor of the will no longer existed and the larger bank who had bought them out did not wish to serve in such a capacity. The other parishioner had a will drawn up years ago but because of indecision about certain aspects never had the will finalized or executed, therefore she died in testate and the bulk of the estate went to legal fees and the heirs in law - neither of which were included in the "Will" to receive anything.

In addition to the legal consequences of such omissions, it very often means that the parish church and other religious and charitable causes dear to the heart of the deceased go unremembered. It is important and highly desirable that we all remember the work of St. Paul's and devise ways to continue our support of the Church after our deaths. The amount left or specified is a matter of spiritual reflection and even those of very modest means can do so, if it is approached properly. It has been my experience that it is the accumulation of modest gifts which add up and make a real difference in parochial endowments. Not so many years ago a parishioner of modest means was able to make a lovely gift of nearly \$35,000 to her beloved parish church. It was not only a beautiful gesture on her part but a testament to her faith, devotion and PLANNING.

Naturally we expect that the Living Parishioners will support the work and witness of the Parish, but we need to be mindful of the fact that much of what we consider the beauty and the lovely environment which is ours at St. Paul's along with the means that has gotten us through a number of tight spots financially over the years are the result of planned giving. Through planned giving your witness can live on in the life of St. Paul's. The following are some ways that you can continue giving to St. Paul's long after your death:

LIFE INSURANCE: name St. Paul's as the beneficiary in a new or existing policy.

CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY OR REMAINDER TRUST: a way to make a gift while you are alive and enjoy the tax benefits now.

PECUNIARY BEQUEST: a specific sum of money or piece of property - I give the sum of \$XX,XXX. to the Centennial (Endowment) Fund of the Wardens and Vestry of St. Paul's Church in Savannah, 1802 Abercorn St., Savannah, GA 31401 for the Church's general uses and purposes, or I give, name the piece of property - real or otherwise to the Centennial (Endowment) Fund of the Warden's and Vestry of St. Paul's Church in Savannah, 1802 Abercorn St., Savannah, GA 31401 for the Church's general uses and purposes.

RESIDUARY BEQUEST: 100% of the balances of your estate after you have taken care of those who love and depend on you: - I give the residue of my estate real and personal to the Centennial (Endowment) Fund of the Wardens and Vestry of St. Paul's Church in Savannah, 1802 Abercorn St., Savannah, GA 31401, for the church's general uses and purposes.

PARTIAL RESIDUARY BEQUEST: A PERCENTAGE OF the balance of your estate

I give the residue of my estate to the following charities in the percentages set forth: A. Fifty percent to the Centennial (Endowment) Fund of the Wardens and Vestry of St. Paul's Church in Savannah, 1802 Abercorn St., Savannah, GA 31401, for its general uses and purposes. B. Twenty-five Percent (25%) to Charity X C. Twenty-five Percent (25%) to Charity Y

*The last three can be incorporated into a new will, or with a codicil, which is an amendment to your will or a trust agreement. Always consult with your attorney and tax advisor before implementing any change .*

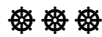
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# Parish News and Events

James Henry (Sonny) Garvin  
(Father of Joe Daniels)  
Departed this life  
May 16, 2017

*“Into Paradise may the angels lead thee,  
and at thy coming may the martyrs  
receive thee, and bring thee into the  
holy city Jerusalem.”*

*There will be a memorial service here at St.  
Paul’s for Mr. Garvin June 1, 2017 at  
3pm.*



## **What is Realm?**

Realm is an online platform that congregations can use to pay their tithe securely online, as well as other fees, such as flowers or donations to special projects and funds. There are several benefits: secure, encrypted deposit from your bank account or credit card. Your tithe is paid weekly even when you’re not there. Realm helps St. Paul’s better budget for expenses.

You can learn more at the convenient training sessions June 25 after 8am., 10am., 12:15pm NS 6:30p.m. Mass.

All you need is your email and password.  
A Check or your credit card.

## **The Sunday after Ascension Day**

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

## **Picnic**

**Our annual parish picnic will be Sunday, June 4th at Captain Butler’s picnic area.** Plan to wear your picnic clothes to church so that you can go straight out to the picnic site after the 10 am Mass. The parish will provide the hot dogs, hamburgers, soft drinks and paper products. Please bring a side dish such as potato salad, baked beans, pasta salad, deviled eggs or a dessert. Our very experienced grill chefs will cook the hot dogs and hamburgers. Mark your calendars now for a fun filled afternoon!

## **Directions to Captain Butler’s**

Go towards Tybee on Highway 80 to the light at Bryan Woods Road and take a left on to Penrose Drive. Follow Penrose until you see the sign for Captain Butler’s on the right. **YOU ARE THERE!!!**

## **A Prayer when lightening a votive candle**

O Blessed Lord, and my beloved Mother, Mary, accept burning candle as a sign of my faith and love for you. Like this candle, I am ready to be used in your service, without asking why or to what purpose. Even as this candle. I wish to stand in your presence to be consumed in the light and warmth of your love. Please hear my prayer and if it is your will, grant my petition. But above all make me loyal and faithful to you in all circumstances of my life. Amen

## **Reminder:**

The office will be closed on Monday in order to observe Memorial Day,

## Lay Ministers

### 8am

Alan Boulton  
Richelle Southwick

### 10am

Jim Weathers  
Vicki Minor

### Acolytes

Erick Norwicki  
Craig Hopkins  
Tony Joiner  
Sophia Breton  
Quinn Scott

### Head Usher

David Gray

### Coffee Hour

Mary Hoyt Minor

### Year-To-Date

Inflows 3.31.17

\$98,569.87

Outflows 3.31.17

\$113,003.50

Balance -(\$14,443.63)

Budget needed each week

\$8,371.00

Offering this week

\$13,071.26

Restricted Offering

\$112.00

## St Paul's Collegiate Church

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### The Episcopate

The Right Reverend Scott A. Benhase, D.D.  
Bishop of Georgia  
The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, D.D.  
Primate, Episcopal Church, USA

The Most Rev & Rt Hon Justin Welby, D.D.  
Archbishop of Canterbury

### Honorary Assistant Clergy

Canon J. Robert Carter, PhD  
Fr. George B Salley, Jr  
The Rev. John G Anderson  
Lutheran Pastor in Residence

### Staff

The Very Rev. Dr. Wm Willoughby III, OStJ  
Rector & Dean of Savannah

The Reverend Charles E. Todd, ECSB

Vicar & Latino/Hispanic Missioner

The Reverend Michael J. Chaney,  
Associate & College Missioner

The Reverend Susan E. Gahagan, ECSB  
Deacon

Dr. Irene Feddern, Director of Music

Kay Saussy, Parish Secretary

Joe Daniels, Sexton

Victor Moreno, Pastoral Assistant

Colleen Willoughby, Youth Minister

Gregory Powell, Evening Mass Musician

### The Vestry

Beth Robinson, Senior Warden, '19

August Breton, Junior Warden, '19

Sara Ward, Clerk, '19

Jim Burch '20, Heather Downs, '18

Frank Hodge, '18, Erick Nowicki, '19,

Dan Porter, '20,

Carl Pruetz, '18, Cuffy Sullivan, '20

Lily Wong, '20, Ellen Wyatt, '18

Carl Pruetz Treasurer

## Thanksgivings & Memorials



The High Altar Flowers are given in honor of Leslie Dellenbarger and Thomas Baron who will be ordained to the diaconate here at St. Paul's on Saturday, May 27th 2017.

The flowers at the Virgin Altar are given in loving memory of Sophia Dubose.



### Birthdays

Beth Robinson

Victor Moreno

### Music for May 28, 2017

Prelude: Andante and Adagio on "Hyfrydol" Paul Manz

Offertory: No hands but yours  
J. Jerome Williams

Christ has no body now on earth  
but yours: no hands but yours;  
Yours are the eyes through which  
to look out Christ's compassion to  
the world.

Yours are the feet on which he is  
to go about doing good.

And yours are the hands with  
which he is to bless us now.

Christ has no body now on earth  
but yours.

(St. Teresa of Avila, 16th century)

### Hymns

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